



STOURBRIDGE & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY

SCHEDULE of 228 Class Unbenched OPEN SHOW

(Judged on the Group System)

(held under Kennel Club Limited Rules & Regulations)

at

PERDISWELL LEISURE CENTRE
Bilford Road, Worcester WR3 8DX

on

WEDNESDAY, 27th DECEMBER 2017

Show Opens: 8.30 am

Judging: 9.30 am

BIS & All Adult Groups — Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson

BPIS & All Puppy Groups — Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)

Guarantors to the Kennel Club:

Miss W. Mee (*Chairman*), Rose Cottage, Trow Green, Glos GL15 6QP.

Miss J. Shipley (*President*), Kettlemere, Pound Lane, Over Whitacre, Coleshill, Warwicks B46 2NU.

Mr R. Greaves (*Hon. Treasurer*), 2 Priory Close, Dudley, West Midlands DY1 3ED.

All Judges at this show agree to abide by the following statement:

“In assessing dogs, judges must penalise any features or exaggerations which they consider would be detrimental to the soundness, health and well being of the dog.”

Hon. Veterinary Surgeon (on call): Claines Veterinary Clinic
238 Ombersley Road, Worcester WR3 7HB. Tel: 01905 453007

Postal entries close: Tuesday, 21st November 2017 (Postmark)

**On-line entries can be made up until midnight on Tuesday, 28th November 2017
at www.fossedata.co.uk**

Postal entries and fees, which MUST be pre-paid, to be sent to the Hon. Secretary:

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Miss R. Berrington
6 Dunsley Drive, Wordsley, Stourbridge,

West Midlands DY8 5RA

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Only undocked dogs and legally docked dogs may be entered for exhibition at this show

• **STEWARDS** •

Are you interested in stewarding?

If so, please contact John Whitton on 01527 850570

STOURBRIDGE & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY

RINGCRAFT CLASSES

Held every Thursday — starting at 8.00 pm

Details from:

Keith Jones (01384 568282) or Wally Smith (0121 550 9677)

PROPOSED ORDER OF JUDGING

Judging begins at 9.30 am in all rings

EXCEPT for the following breeds which will be **NOT BEFORE 11.00 am:**

Dachshund (Min Long-Haired), Dachshund (Min Smooth-Haired), Dachshund (Min Wire-Haired), Dachshund (Long-Haired), Dachshund (Smooth-Haired), Dachshund (Wire-Haired), Whippet, Retriever (Labrador), Large Munsterlander, Pointer, AVNSC Gundog, English Setter, Irish Setter, Dalmatian, Poodle (Miniature), Poodle (Toy), Miniature Schnauzer, Lhasa Apso, Shih Tzu, Norwegian Elkhound, Cairn Terrier, Soft Coated Wheaten Terrier, Bearded Collie, Welsh Corgi (Cardigan), AVNSC Pastoral, Staffordshire Bull Terrier, AVNSC Hound, Chihuahua (Long Coat), Chihuahua (Smooth Coat), Chinese Crested, Japanese Chin, Papillon

Stakes classes will not be judged before 12.00 noon

Handling classes will not be judged before 2.00 pm

ROSETTES



BEST IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST IN SHOW
BEST PUPPY IN SHOW • RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW
ALL BOB WINNERS • ALL BEST PUPPY IN BREED WINNERS
1st - Reserve in ALL STAKES CLASSES
and HANDLING CLASSES



*Donations towards the cost of Rosettes would be appreciated
and acknowledged in the Catalogue*

CUP and TROPHIES

A FULL LIST OF TROPHIES WILL BE PRINTED IN THE CATALOGUE

(Diplomas will be awarded)

STOURBRIDGE & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY

OFFICERS and COMMITTEE

Patron: Mrs D. Reynolds

Hon. Life Members: Mrs D. Reynolds, Mr A. Norman, Mr L. Rhodes

President: Miss J. Shipley

Chairman: Miss W. Mee

Vice Chairman: Mr W. Smith

Hon. Secretary: Miss R. Berrington

Hon. Treasurer: Mr R. Greaves

Chief Steward: Mr J. Whitton

Show Manager: Mr R. Greaves

Safety/Fire Officer: Mr W. Smith

Cup Steward: Mr W. Smith

Committee:

Messrs W. Smith, K. Jones, R. Greaves, K. Mulcahey, J. Whitton, J. Somers;
Mesdames R. Berrington, C. Smith, J. Shipley, A. Turrell, W. Mee, G. Jones, M. Whitton

**PLEASE NOTE: OFFICERS AND COMMITTEE OF
STOURBRIDGE & DISTRICT CANINE SOCIETY DO NOT EXHIBIT AT THIS SHOW**

• SHOW DETAILS and NOTES FOR EXHIBITORS •

Your entries are accepted subject to the following conditions and any exhibitor found to be in contravention of these conditions will be requested to leave the Show immediately:

1. No chalk or talcum powder to be used anywhere on the premises
2. All grooming to be carried out in the area provided for the purpose
3. Tables, cages etc. to be in the area provided, NOT at the ringside
4. Dogs to be exercised in the area provided
5. All litter and combings to be placed in waste bins or taken home
6. It is a condition of entry that all children are accompanied at all times, and that adults will be held responsible for the actions of the children in their charge. You will be legally bound to reimburse the cost of any damage caused.

This is a strict condition of entry, therefore if you do not wish to be held liable, please DO NOT enter

ENTRY FEES

Non-Members: £6.00 first entry per dog; £1.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Members: £5.00 first entry per dog; £1.00 each subsequent entry with the same dog

Handling Classes: £1.00 per class (*dogs must also be entered in a breed or AVNSC class*)

Not for Competition: £1.00 per dog (*Not for Competition dogs MUST be over 4 months of age*)

Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries (*limited number available on the day at £3.50*)
(*Catalogues not collected by 12.00 noon will be offered for re-sale*)

Membership: £2.00 Single; £3.00 Joint; 50p Junior

Please make cheques/postal orders payable to: **Stourbridge & District Canine Society**

N.B. All cheques must be ready for presentation. Any returned cheques will attract an administration fee and the Kennel Club will be informed.

TRADE STANDS

A limited amount of space is available for Trade Stands

Please contact the Secretary, Miss R. Berrington on 01384 358308, for further details

REFRESHMENTS

Refreshments will be available throughout the day

• CLASSIFICATION •

(All classes are for dog or bitch unless otherwise stated)

HOUND GROUP

Group Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson Puppy Group Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)

AFGHAN HOUND Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	1. Puppy 2. Post Graduate	3. Open
BEAGLE Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	4. Puppy 5. Post Graduate	6. Open
CIRNECO DELL'ETNA Judge: Mr P. Hill (Fielgar)	7. Junior 8. Post Graduate	9. Open
DACHSHUND (MIN. LONG-HAIRED) Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	10. Puppy 11. Post Graduate	12. Open
DACHSHUND (MIN. SMOOTH-HAIRED) Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	13. Puppy 14. Post Graduate	15. Open
DACHSHUND (MIN. WIRE-HAIRED) Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	16. Puppy 17. Post Graduate	18. Open
DACHSHUND (LONG-HAIRED) Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	19. Post Graduate	20. Open
DACHSHUND (SMOOTH-HAIRED) Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	21. Post Graduate	22. Open
DACHSHUND (WIRE-HAIRED) Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	23. Post Graduate	24. Open
NORWEGIAN ELKHOUND Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)	25. Puppy 26. Post Graduate	27. Open
<i>Mr R. Greaves kindly offers a commemorative teaspoon (to be won outright) for each class winner</i>		
WHIPPET Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)	28. Puppy 29. Junior 30. Special Yearling	31. Post Graduate 32. Open Dog 33. Open Bitch
A.V.N.S.C. HOUND Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)	34. Puppy 35. Junior	36. Post Graduate 37. Open

GUNDOG GROUP

Group Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson Puppy Group Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)

SPANIEL (COCKER) Judge: Mr R. McDonald (Roanjora)	38. Puppy 39. Junior 40. Novice	41. Post Graduate 42. Open
ENGLISH SETTER Judge: Mrs J. Neath (Albadora)	43. Puppy 44. Post Graduate	45. Open
SPANIEL (ENGLISH SPRINGER) Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)	46. Puppy 47. Post Graduate	48. Open
RETRIEVER (GOLDEN) Judge: Mr A. Trinder (Trindevor)	49. Puppy 50. Junior 51. Novice	52. Post Graduate 53. Open
IRISH SETTER Judge: Mr K. Cooper (Hugared)	54. Puppy 55. Junior 56. Novice	57. Post Graduate 58. Open

RETRIEVER (LABRADOR) <i>Judge: Mrs J. Eyeington (Meadowdale)</i>	59. Puppy 60. Junior 61. Novice	62. Post Graduate 63. Open
LARGE MUNSTERLANDER <i>Judge: Mrs J. Eyeington (Meadowdale)</i>	64. Junior 65. Post Graduate	66. Open
RETRIEVER (NOVA SCOTIA DUCK TOLLING) <i>Judge: Mr A. Trinder (Trindevver)</i>	67. Junior	68. Open
POINTER <i>Judge: Mrs J. Eyeington (Meadowdale)</i>	69. Puppy 70. Junior	71. Post Graduate 72. Open
A.V.N.S.C. GUNDOG <i>Judge: Mrs J. Eyeington (Meadowdale)</i>	73. Puppy 74. Junior	75. Post Graduate 76. Open

TERRIER GROUP

Group Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson Puppy Group Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)

BORDER TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	77. Puppy 78. Post Graduate	79. Open
CAIRN TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)</i>	80. Puppy 81. Post Graduate	82. Open
JACK RUSSELL TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	83. Puppy	84. Open
SOFT COATED WHEATEN TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)</i>	85. Puppy 86. Post Graduate	87. Open
STAFFORDSHIRE BULL TERRIER <i>Judge: Mrs J. Bibby (Taraiel)</i>	88. Puppy 89. Junior 90. Novice	91. Post Graduate 92. Open
A.V.N.S.C. TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	93. Puppy 94. Junior	95. Post Graduate 96. Open

WORKING GROUP

Group Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson Puppy Group Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)

BOXER <i>Judge: Mrs J. Evans (Zaydah)</i>	97. Puppy 98. Junior 99. Novice	100. Post Graduate 101. Open
DOBERMANN <i>Judge: Mrs J. Barnes (Tallowah)</i>	102. Puppy 103. Post Graduate	104. Open
GREAT DANE <i>Judge: Mr R. McDonald (Roanjora)</i>	105. Puppy 106. Post Graduate	107. Open
PORTUGUESE WATER DOG <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	108. Puppy	109. Open
ROTTWEILER <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	110. Puppy 111. Post Graduate	112. Open
SIBERIAN HUSKY <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	113. Puppy 114. Post Graduate	115. Open
A.V.N.S.C. WORKING <i>Judge: Mrs J. Evans (Zaydah)</i>	116. Puppy 117. Junior	118. Post Graduate 119. Open

PASTORAL GROUP

Group Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson Puppy Group Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)

BEARDED COLLIE <i>Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)</i>	120. Puppy 121. Post Graduate	122. Open
BORDER COLLIE <i>Judge: Mrs J. Evans (Zaydah)</i>	123. Puppy 124. Post Graduate	125. Open
WELSH CORGI (CARIDGAN) <i>Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)</i>	126. Puppy 127. Post Graduate	128. Open
FINNISH LAPPHUND <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	129. Puppy 130. Post Graduate	131. Open
COLLIE (ROUGH) <i>Judge: Mrs J. Evans (Zaydah)</i>	132. Puppy 133. Post Graduate	134. Open
SAMOYED <i>Judge: Mr R. McDonald (Roanjora)</i>	135. Puppy 136. Post Graduate	137. Open
SHETLAND SHEEPDOG <i>Judge: Mrs J. Evans (Zaydah)</i>	138. Puppy 139. Post Graduate	140. Open
A.V.N.S.C. PASTORAL <i>Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)</i>	141. Puppy 142. Junior	143. Post Graduate 144. Open

UTILITY GROUP

Group Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson Puppy Group Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)

DALMATIAN <i>Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson</i>	145. Puppy 146. Post Graduate	147. Open
FRENCH BULLDOG <i>Judge: Mr S. Rann (Hachibi)</i>	148. Puppy 149. Post Graduate	150. Open
LHASA APSO <i>Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson</i>	151. Puppy 152. Post Graduate	153. Open
MINIATURE SCHNAUZER <i>Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson</i>	154. Puppy 155. Post Graduate	156. Open
POODLE (MINIATURE) <i>Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson</i>	157. Puppy 158. Post Graduate	159. Open
POODLE (TOY) <i>Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson</i>	160. Puppy 161. Post Graduate	162. Open
SHIH TZU <i>Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson</i>	163. Puppy 164. Post Graduate	165. Open
TIBETAN SPANIEL <i>Judge: Mr S. Rann (Hachibi)</i>	166. Puppy 167. Post Graduate	168. Open
TIBETAN TERRIER <i>Judge: Mr S. Rann (Hachibi)</i>	169. Puppy 170. Post Graduate	171. Open
A.V.N.S.C. UTILITY <i>Judge: Mr S. Rann (Hachibi)</i>	172. Puppy 173. Junior	174. Post Graduate 175. Open

TOY GROUP

Group Judge: Mr P. Wilkinson Puppy Group Judge: Mr D. Clarke (Peluche)

CAVALIER KING CHARLES SPANIEL <i>Judge: Mr T. Isherwood (Stagedoor)</i>	176. Puppy 177. Junior 178. Novice	179. Post Graduate 180. Open
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CHIHUAHUA (LONG COAT) <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	181. Puppy 182. Post Graduate	183. Open
CHIHUAHUA (SMOOTH COAT) <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	184. Puppy 185. Post Graduate	186. Open
CHINESE CRESTED <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	187. Puppy 188. Post Graduate	189. Open
HAVANESE <i>Judge: Mr T. Isherwood (Stagedoor)</i>	190. Puppy 191. Post Graduate	192. Open
JAPANESE CHIN <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	193. Puppy 194. Post Graduate	195. Open
PAPILLON <i>Judge: Mr M. Gadsby (Afterglow)</i>	196. Puppy 197. Junior	198. Post Graduate 199. Open
POMERANIAN <i>Judge: Mr T. Isherwood (Stagedoor)</i>	200. Puppy 201. Post Graduate	202. Open
PUG <i>Judge: Mr T. Isherwood (Stagedoor)</i>	203. Puppy 204. Junior	205. Post Graduate 206. Open
A.V.N.S.C. TOY <i>Judge: Mr T. Isherwood (Stagedoor)</i>	207. Puppy 208. Junior	209. Post Graduate 210. Open

STAKES CLASSES

The total 2nd entry money attracted by these classes will be awarded to 1st - 5th place and divided as follows: 1st 40% : 2nd 30% : 3rd 15% : 4th 10% : 5th 5%

A.V. PUPPY STAKES <i>Judge: Mr S. Rann (Hachibi)</i>	211. Minor Puppy Dog 212. Minor Puppy Bitch	213. Puppy Dog 214. Puppy Bitch
A.V. VETERAN STAKES <i>Judge: Mr T. Isherwood (Stagedoor)</i>	215. Veteran Dog	216. Veteran Bitch
A.V. SPECIAL BEGINNERS STAKES <i>Judge: Mr R. McDonald (Roanjora)</i>	217. Puppy 218. Post Graduate	219. Open
A.V. JOE BRADDON MEMORIAL STAKES <i>Judge: Mrs J. Eyeington (Meadowdale)</i>	220. Puppy 221. Post Graduate	222. Open

HANDLING CLASSES

JUNIOR HANDLING ASSOCIATION <i>Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)</i>	223. 6 - 11 years	224. 12 - 16 years
<p>Handlers who are placed first, second or third in these classes will qualify to compete at the JHA semi-finals to be held at the six national group championship shows. For more details visit www.jha-dog.co.uk. Dogs must also be entered in a breed or AVNSC class at this Show. Please state handler's name and age on the Entry Form in the space provided. Entry Fee: £1.00 per class. NO Entries taken on the day.</p>		
ADULT HANDLING <i>Judge: Mr L. Johnston (Danluke)</i>	225. 17 - 25 years 226. 26 - 39 years	227. 40 - 59 years 228. 60 years and over
<p>1st - 3rd in each class qualify for the Coventry Ladies' Kennel Society Adult Handling Final to be held at City of Birmingham Championship Show in 2018. Dogs must also be entered in a breed or AVNSC class at this Show. Please state handler's name on the Entry Form in the space provided. Entry Fee: £1.00 per class. NO Entries taken on the day.</p>		

BEST IN SHOW — RESERVE BEST IN SHOW

Judge: MR P. WILKINSON

BEST PUPPY IN SHOW — RESERVE BEST PUPPY IN SHOW

Judge: MR D. CLARKE (PELUCHE)

• RULES AND REGULATIONS •

1. The Show will open at 8.30 am.
2. Dogs will be received at any time but it is the exhibitor's responsibility to ensure that exhibits are available for judging when required.
3. Judging will commence at 9.30 am.
4. Exhibits may be removed from the Show after their judging has been completed. Exhibits may not be removed any earlier unless by written order of the Veterinary Surgeon or of the Show Management and then only in very exceptional and unforeseen circumstances which must be reported to the Kennel Club. The Show will close half an hour after all their judging has been completed.
5. The use of cooking stoves in the proximity of the tenting and benching areas is forbidden except as authorised by the Show Management.
6. **ENTRY FEES: Non-Members:** First entry per dog £6.00; each subsequent entry with the same dog £1.00. **Members:** First entry per dog £5.00; each subsequent entry with the same dog £1.00. Handling classes: £1.00 per class. Not for Competition: £1.00 per dog. Catalogues: £3.00 pre-paid with entries (£3.50 on the day of the Show). Membership: £2.00 Single; £3.00 Joint; 50p Junior.
7. Prize Money is on offer in Stakes classes ONLY.
8. The Committee reserves to itself the right to refuse entries.
9. Puppies under six calendar months of age on the first day of the Show are not eligible for exhibition.
10. The mating of bitches within the precincts of the Show is forbidden.
11. **Best Puppy in Show: From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended.**

Where a Best Puppy in Show competition is scheduled the Best Puppy in Show is a puppy which has competed and is unbeaten by any other puppy exhibited at the same show. A puppy is a dog of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show. Where the Best of Breed, Best in Group or Best in Show is a puppy it should automatically be awarded Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Similarly, if the Reserve Best of Breed, Reserve Best of Group or Reserve Best in Show is a puppy which has only been beaten by an adult dog it should also automatically be Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show respectively. Consequently, selection of Best Puppy in Breed, Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show must follow the selection of Best of Breed, Best in Group and Best in Show respectively.

- a. *Show Judged on the Group System:*
 - 1) Best Puppy in Group and subsequent Group placings must be selected from puppies which have been judged and which are unbeaten by any other puppy.
 - 2) Best Puppy in Show must be selected from the Best Puppy in Group winners provided they are unbeaten by any other puppy.
 - b. *Withdrawal from Competition:* Puppies which become eligible for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition, other than Breed Classes and Best Puppy in Breed, prior to the competition for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show in order to remain unbeaten. A puppy beaten in competition for Best Puppy in Group and Best Puppy in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dog declared Best Puppy in Show, however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. Puppies may be withdrawn from Any Variety (AV) Classes when judged before Breed Classes.
 - c. *Proviso:* For the purpose of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to one breed will not be considered to be a beaten dog.
12. **Best in Show: From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended.**

The dog declared Best in Show is a dog which has competed and is unbeaten by any other dog exhibited at the same Show.

- a. *Shows Judged on the Group System* (Definition: Shows judged on the Group System includes classes for breeds within more than one group, as defined in Kennel Club Regulation B(A); and require a judge to declare a best of each group after which the exhibits so declared will compete for the award of Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show.)
 - 1) *Best of Breed:* Where a breed is separately classified a Best of Breed may be declared from those exhibits which have received a first prize in a breed class at the show. Where separate classes are provided for each sex of a breed a Best of each Sex must be declared.
 - 2) *Best of Group:* From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended. Best of group and subsequent placings must be selected from:-

- a) The Best of Breed winners in each group provided that they are unbeaten winning dogs.
 - b) The best unbeaten winning dog from the Any Variety Not Separately Classified classes in each group or on each day.
- 3) *Best in Show*: From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class and that only unbeaten dogs are eligible to compete in the group or best in show competitions are suspended. Best in Show must be selected from the Best of Group winners provided they are unbeaten. Reserve Best in Show must be selected from the remaining Group winners following the selection for Best in Show.
- b. *Withdrawal from other Competition*: Dogs which become eligible for Best of Group and Best in Show may be withdrawn from all other competition other than breed classes and Best of Breed prior to the competition for Best of Group or Best in Show as appropriate in order to remain unbeaten. A dog beaten in competition for Best in Group or Best in Show may subsequently be exhibited in all competition for which it was previously eligible. The dogs declared Best in Show and Reserve Best in Show however, must not compete in any subsequent competition. Dogs may be withdrawn from AV Classes when judged before Breed Classes.
 - c. *Proviso*: For the purposes of this Regulation, dogs beaten in competition for Stud Dog, Brood Bitch, Progeny, Brace and Team or a Special Award confined to a single breed, will not be considered to be beaten dogs.
13. Exhibits will not be admitted to Best in Show competition after a period of ten minutes has elapsed since the announcement that exhibits are required for judging, unless they have been unavoidably delayed by previous judging not being completed on time, and then only with the special permission of the Show Management.
14. Exhibitors must not pick up dogs by their tails and leads when lifting them. This is not acceptable. Exhibitors should note that such practice would constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F I I.
15. It is not acceptable to handle a dog in a manner which causes its feet not to touch the ground when on the move. Exhibitors should note that such practices could constitute harsh handling and reports of such practice will be referred to the Committee under Kennel Club Show Regulation F I I.
16. All exhibitors must be familiar with Kennel Club Regulation F (Annex B) Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.
17. All dogs resident outside of the UK must be issued with a Kennel Club Authority to Compete number before entry to the show/event can be made. All overseas entries without an Authority to Compete number will be returned to the exhibitor/competitor.
18. **Dogs in Vehicles on Hot Days.** Your dog is vulnerable and at risk during hot weather and the Kennel Club offers the following guidance to help guide you through the do's and don'ts travelling to and whilst at KC licensed events.
- When travelling to a show please take a moment to consider whether the route to the show is on a busy holiday route, and leave earlier to avoid increased time in traffic jams.
 - If your vehicle is not air-conditioned seriously consider whether travelling to the show is a good idea at all.
 - The vehicle should be as fully ventilated as possible, and plenty of stops should be taken, with lots of water available to drink.
 - Ensure your dog is not sitting in full sunlight. There should be plenty of free flowing air around the dog.
 - When at the show, never leave your dog in the vehicle.
 - Keep the dog in the shade - take your own shade for example a large umbrella and always have plenty of water available to drink so your dog stays well hydrated.
 - Avoid your dog taking part in unnecessary exertion, or from standing in exposed sunlight for extended lengths of time.

Remember, if you feel hot your dog is very likely to feel much hotter and dehydrated, and this could lead to dire results. Please look after your dog's welfare. **WARNING: IF YOUR DOG IS FOUND TO BE AT RISK FORCIBLE ENTRY TO YOUR VEHICLE MAY BE NECESSARY WITHOUT LIABILITY FOR ANY DAMAGE CAUSED.** Anyone whose dog is entered at a Kennel Club licensed event should take all reasonable steps to ensure the needs of their dog(s) are met, and should not put a dog's health and welfare at risk by any action, default, omission or otherwise. Breach of Kennel Club Regulations in this respect may be referred to the General Committee for disciplinary action under Kennel Club Rules and Regulations. Exhibitors/Competitors are reminded that show societies have the right under Kennel Club Regulation to refuse any entry.

- 19. Not for Competition entries will be accepted. Details of each dog so entered must be recorded on the entry form and must be Kennel Club registered.
- 20. No modifications will be made to this Schedule except by permission of the General Committee of the Kennel Club, which will be followed by advertisement in the Canine Press wherever possible.
- 21. Should any judge be prevented from fulfilling their engagement, the Committee reserve to themselves the right of appointing other judges to fulfill their duties. Exhibitors are at liberty to withdraw from competition but no entry fees can be refunded.
- 22. Any owner, competitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog is required to remove as soon as possible any fouling caused by their dog(s) at any Kennel Club licensed show within the licensed venue and within the environs of that event including car and caravan parks and approaches. Adequate receptacles for the disposal of such fouling will be provided.

23. The Committee will do its utmost to ensure the safety of the dogs brought for exhibition but it must be clearly understood by exhibitors and all other persons at the Show that the Committee will not be responsible for the loss or damage to any dogs or property, or personal injury, whether arising from accident or any other cause whatsoever.
24. An announcement prior to the date of closing of entries in Our Dogs and/or Dog World of any alteration or addition made by the Committee to the Schedule or in these Regulations shall be sufficient notice thereof.
25. All children must be kept under control, and parents will be held responsible for any damage caused and charges incurred.
26. Please do not obstruct gangways with trolleys. Storage space will be made available for trolleys/cages.
27. The Committee are empowered to exclude any dog which is not in a fit state for exhibition, either from disease, vice, natural or other causes, and if such exclusion takes place either before or after the dog is judged, the entrance fee will be forfeited.
28. No animal other than an exhibit duly entered at the Show will be allowed within the precincts of the Show during its continuance.
29. The owner, exhibitor, handler or other person in charge of a dog at Kennel Club licensed events must at all times ensure that the dog is kept under proper control whilst at the licensed venue, including its environs, car and caravan parks and approaches. This Regulation applies before (at any time during the set up period at the venue), during the event and afterwards (at any time during the breakdown of the event).
30. A dog may be disqualified by the General Committee from any award, whether an objection has been lodged or not, if proved amongst other things to have been: a) registered or recorded as having been bred by the scheduled Judge, this shall not apply to a Judge appointed in an emergency; b) exhibited without payment of appropriate entry fees.
31. Every exhibitor shall ensure that whilst the dog is being exhibited, its handler shall display the correct ring number.

PLEASE NOTE: The Officers and Committee of Stourbridge & District Canine Society can accept no responsibility for products advertised or sold by stand holders at the Show and wish to remind exhibitors that grooming products on sale may not meet the requirements of the Regulations for the Preparation of Dogs for Exhibition.

• DEFINITIONS OF CLASSES •

In the following definitions, a Challenge Certificate includes any Show award that counts towards the title of Champion under the Rules of any governing body recognised by the Kennel Club. Wins at Championship Shows in breed classes where Challenge Certificates are not on offer shall be counted as wins at Open Shows. In the case of a dog owned in partnership and entered in Members' classes or competing for Members' Specials each partner must at the time of entry be a member of the Society.

In estimating the number of awards won, all wins up to and including the seventh day before the date of closing of postal entries shall be counted when entering for any class i.e. **Tuesday, 14th November 2017.**

Wins in Variety classes do not count for entry in Breed classes but when entering for Variety classes, wins in both Breed and Variety classes must be counted. A First Prize does not include a Special Prize of whatever value. A dog is not eligible for entry in Variety Classes (excluding AVNSC classes) unless also entered and subsequently exhibited in a Breed class where such a class is provided for which it is eligible. Exemptions from this Regulation are:

From 1st January 2017, and for a period of one year the Kennel Club Show Regulations which stipulate that dogs must be entered and exhibited in a breed class before exhibiting in an Any Variety Class/Stakes Class have been suspended.

- (1) A puppy, unless a class for dogs under twelve months of age for which it is eligible is provided for the breed.
- (2) A dog in Any Variety Field Trial or Working Trial Class.
- (3) A dog in Any Variety Veteran Class.
- (4) A dog in Any Variety Champion Class.
- (5) As provided in Kennel Club Definitions of Classes.
- (6) A dog which is withdrawn from exhibition in breed classes as a result of the appointment of an emergency judge.
- (7) A dog in Good Citizen Scheme Classes.
- (8) Exhibits bred by the scheduled breed Judge.

If an exhibitor reports before the judging of a class or classes that a dog has been entered which is ineligible, the exhibitor may choose one of the following options:-

- (1) *Withdrawal*
The dog may be withdrawn from competition subject to the conditions of Regulations 9(j) and 20.
- (2) *Transfer*
a) If a dog is ineligible for a class or classes as regards its breed, colour, sex, weight or height the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the equivalent class or classes for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height and, in the event of there being no equivalent class, Minor Puppy and Puppy excepted to the Open class for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height.

- b) If an exhibit is entered incorrectly in a Minor Puppy class, Puppy class or Junior class, which is over age but under twelve calendar months of age, eighteen calendar months of age or twenty four calendar months of age respectively, the Show Secretary shall transfer the exhibit to the Puppy class, Junior class or Yearling class respectively for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height and in the event of there being no Puppy, Junior or Yearling class to the Open class for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height.
- c) For any reason other than the above, the Show Secretary shall transfer it to the Open class for the correct breed, colour, sex, weight or height.
- d) If an exhibit arrives late and misses a class, even if it is the only class in which the dog is entered, the dog may not be transferred to any other class.

MINOR PUPPY For dogs of six and not exceeding nine calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

PUPPY For dogs of six and not exceeding twelve calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

JUNIOR For dogs of six and not exceeding eighteen calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

NOVICE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or three or more First Prizes at Open and Championship Shows (Minor Puppy, Special Minor Puppy, Puppy and Special puppy classes excepted, whether restricted or not).

POST GRADUATE For dogs which have not won a Challenge Certificate or 5 or more First Prizes at Championship Shows in Post Graduate, Minor Limit, Mid Limit, Limit and Open Classes whether restricted or not where Challenge Certificates were offered for the breed.

OPEN For all dogs of the breeds for which the class is provided and eligible for entry at the Show.

VETERAN For dogs of not less than seven years of age on the first day of the Show.

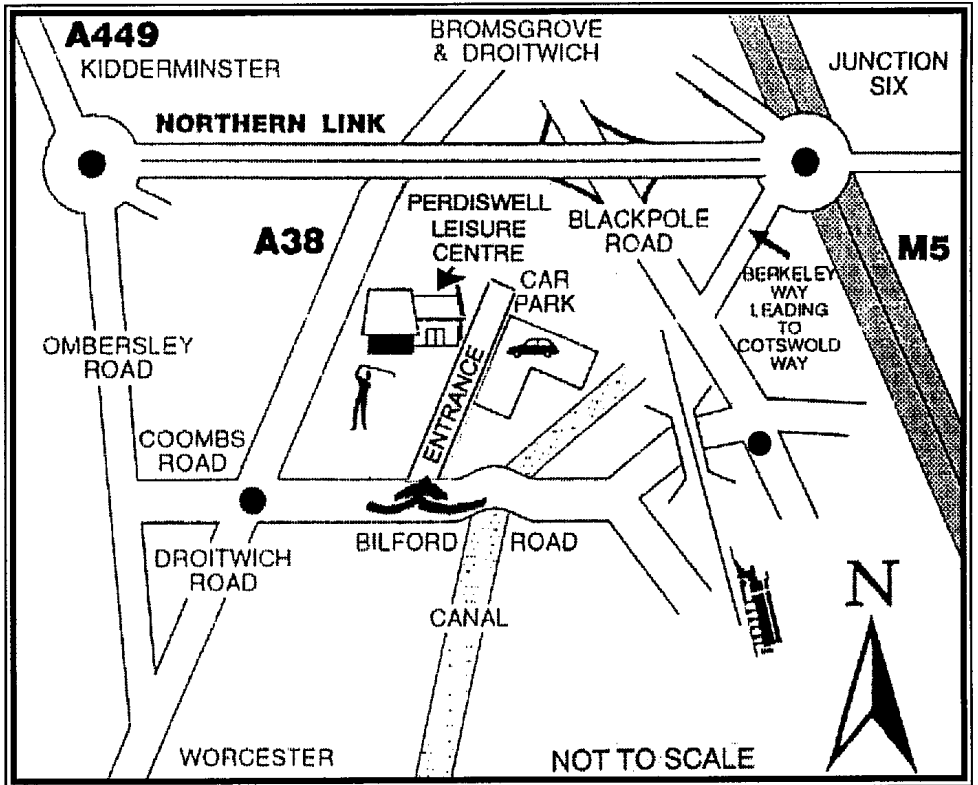
SPECIAL BEGINNERS For owner, handler and exhibit not having won a Challenge Certificate.

SPECIAL YEARLING For dogs of six and not exceeding twenty four calendar months of age on the first day of the Show.

ANY VARIETY NOT SEPARATELY CLASSIFIED For Breeds of dog for which no separate breed classes are scheduled.

ADVISORY NOTICE

NOT FOR COMPETITION Societies may at their discretion, accept Not for Competition entries. Societies may accept such entries from breeds of dog not included within the title of the Society and at Shows held over more than one day, such entries may be accepted on any day from any breed.



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